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PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

Honorable Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

Contemporaneous with the filing of this case and prior to calculation of the filing fee, kindly amend as follows:

IN THE CLAIMS

Claim 3, line 1, delete "or claim 2".

Claim 4, line 2, delete "any one of claims 1-3 ", and

insert therefor --claim 1--.

Claim 6, line 2, delete "or claim 5".

Claim 7, line 1, delete "or claim 5".

Claim 15, line 4, delete "or claim 5".

Claim 20, line 4, delete "or claim 5"; and

line 8, delete "or claim 5".

Claim 23, line 4, delete "or claim 5".

Delete claim 24 in its entirety.